

In the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 4, with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- This application is a National Phase application of PCT/IL00/00514, filed August 29, 2000, which is a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application No. 09/385,411, filed August 30, 1999, now abandoned, ~~the contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference.~~ --